



MVCSC Communications Report

School Board of Trustees Meeting

5-2021

GREAT NEWS IN THE DISTRICT

School Accolades & Notable Activities

- MV held the End of Year Celebration for staff, recognizing years of service, teacher/staff of the year, and retirees totalling over 250 years of service: Patty Bennett (HS - 20 years), Kim Caudell (MES - 22 years), Carey Cole (MS - 41 years), Cindy Conover (HS - 17 years), Pam DeBaun (Food Service - 23 years), Brenda Denney (MMP - 42 years), Lola Halterman (FES - 25 years), Melinda Jackson (HS - 35 years), Beckey Sietsma (Transportation - 31.5 years), Greg Worland (FES - 18 years).
- Four videos were shared on social media featuring parent/guardian tips to implement Trust Based Relational Intervention tactics at home; they were also added to the website.
- Hancock County Promise awarded four kindergarten students (from each county school) a \$500 scholarship; congrats to Wesley Perry from MES as the MV recipient.
- The MVHS Class of 2021 graduated on June 11 and was awarded over \$4 million in scholarships.
- The MMP celebrated Unified Champions Day promoting inclusion, acceptance, respect and human dignity for all students.
- FES teacher Miss Loughman is an Indianapolis Colts Cheerleader for the 3rd year in a row.
- MVHS Indoor Percussion Ensemble finished 3rd in their class at state.
- MVHS Athletics had a banner year. Overall, varsity sports won 77% of their contests across the board, with most sports facing a top 25-ranked schedule and 12 teams winning their sectional championship.
 - MVHS Boys Golf won sectionals for the second time since 2016; Sam McWilliams finished 3rd at regionals and advanced to state finals
 - MVHS Baseball won regionals (first time in 50 years) and went to semi-state
 - MVHS Softball won regionals & went to semi-state
 - MVHS Boys Track - 4x400 relay team placed 5th at state (King, Rappe, Blagrove, Brown), and Bowsher (hurdles), Marble (100 M dash), & LaBelle (pole vault) competed at state
 - MVHS Girls Track - Nielsen (pole vault) competed at state
 - MVHS Girls tennis won sectionals

Community Connections

- MVCSC will be offering 5 free breakfasts & 5 free lunches each week for those 18 years or younger at FES, beginning June 14.
- MVHS seniors gave back to the community on their "Senior Work Day," pulling weeds and painting on MV's campus, and spreading mulch at Landmark Park in Fortville.
- Lancer + Beebe, Hagerman & the MVEF sponsored staff shirts with the message "Together We Can Do Virtually Anything."
- MV parents/guardians submitted token "Because of You" videos, sharing how staff has positively impacted their children this year.

Noteworthy Media

- Fox 59 & CBS 4 noted Hancock County as one of the best counties to raise a family in Indiana, referencing MES & MCE as top public schools

PRESS SUMMARY

Greenfield Reporter:

- Breakthrough Title: Marauders win first HHC boys golf crown by one stroke (MVHS boys golf)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/18/championship_breakthrough_marauders_win_first_hhc_boys_golf_crown_by_one_stroke-2/
- Outright Finale: Walk-off steal clinches Marauders' first outright HHC title (MVHS baseball)
<http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/20/outright-finale-walk-off-steal-clinches-marauders-first-outright-hhc-title/>
- Prep Roundup: Marauders, Cougars set to collide in tennis sectional finals
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/21/sports_roundup_may_21-5/
- Triple Crown: Marauders complete trifecta, win eight sectional events (MVHS track)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/21/triple_crown_marauders_complete_trifecta_capture_first_track_sectional_title_since_2014-2/
- Seventh Heaven: Marauders girls tennis continues sectional dominance
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/22/seventh_heaven_marauders_girls_tennis_continues_sectional_dominance/
- Marauders move on, run rule Bearcats
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/26/marauders_move_on_run_rule_bearcats-3/
- Prep Roundup: Marauders' No. 1 doubles outduels Tigers at regional (MVHS girls tennis)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/28/sports_roundup_may_28/
- Marauders finish third at regional, push 10 through to state (MVHS track)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/28/marauders_push_through_10_athletes_to_track_state/
- BOMBS AWAY: Homer happy Marauders blast way to sectional title (MVHS softball)
<http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/28/bombs-away-homer-happy-marauders-blast-way-to-sectional-title/>
- Marauders cruise past Bearcats, advance to sectional finals (MVHS baseball)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/01/marauders_cruise_past_bearcats_advance_to_finals-4/
- Blazing a Trail: Marauders shut out Arabians, win first sectional since 2011 (baseball)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/01/blazing_a_trail_marauders_shut_out_arabians_win_first_sectional_since_2011-2/
- Semistate bound: Marauders win first regional title since 2002 (softball)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/02/semistate_bound_marauders_win_first_regional_title_since_2002/
- Turning Back the Clock: Marauders chasing history at baseball regional
<http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/04/turning-back-the-clock-marauders-chasing-history-at-baseball-regional/>
- Podium Finish: Cougars' Hargett, Marauders' relay place fifth at state (track)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/05/podium_finish_cougars_hargett_marauders_relay_place_fifth_at_track_state_finals-2/
- Marauders' bid for Class 4A state title game ends in heartbreak (softball)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/08/marauders_bid_for_class_4a_state_title_game_ends_in_heartbreak-3/
- The Drought is Over: Marauders win first regional championship in 50 years (baseball)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/08/the_drought_is_over_marauders_win_first_regional_championship_in_50_years/

- Marauders win boys golf sectional title
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/08/marauders_win_boys_golf_sectional_title-2/
- Shooting for a Title: Marauders are aiming for another championship day at regional (MVHS boys golf)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/09/shooting_for_a_title_marauders_are_aiming_for_another_championship_day_at_regional-4/
- TRIPLE CROWN: Mt. Vernon adds sectional title to go with HHC, county (track)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/19/triple_crown_mt_vernon_adds_sectional_title_to_go_with_hhc_county-2/
- Mt. Vernon High School named one of the nation's best
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/25/mt_vernon_high_school_named_one_of_the_nations_best/
- Restaurant inspections for April 21-28
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/22/restaurant_inspections_for_april_2128-2/
- New Fortville Elementary principal named
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/21/new_fortville_elementary_principal_named/
- Restaurant inspections for May 4
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/26/restaurant_inspections_for_may_4-2/
- Schools to offer extra help to recover credits
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/25/schools_to_offer_extra_help_to_recover_credits-2/
- Restaurant inspections for April 29-30
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/25/restaurant_inspections_for_april_2930/
- Mt. Vernon seeks ambassadors for 2021-22
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/05/29/mt_vernon_seeks_ambassadors_for_202122/
- Mt. Vernon offering event passes to residents 65+
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/01/mt_vernon_offering_event_passes_to_residents_65-2/
- MV seniors earn awards and scholarships
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/01/mv_seniors_earn_awards_and_scholarships/
- Homeowners opposed to TIF district plan to meet with lawmakers
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/02/homeowners_opposed_to_tif_district_plan_to_meet_with_lawmakers-2/
- Ready for the Spotlight: County athletes set for boys state track meet
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/03/ready_for_the_spotlight_county_athletes_set_for_boys_state_track_meet/
- Mt. Vernon preps for summer meal program
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/05/mt_vernon_preps_for_summer_meal_program/
- Marauders' pitching depth paying big dividends this postseason
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/10/marauders_pitching_depth_paying_dividends/
- Promise Indiana gives scholarships to kindergartners
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/08/promise_indiana_gives_scholarships_to_kindergartners-3/
- Walk-on-Water event caps off MVMS science curriculum
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/08/walkonwater_event_caps_off_mvms_science_curriculum-4/
- Cougars' Maroska places eighth at IHSAA state track meet
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/08/cougars_maroska_places_eighth_at_state_meet/

Pendleton Times Post:

- record setters (track)
http://www.pendleontimespost.com/2021/05/20/recordsetters_arabian_trio_win_hhc_track_and_field_titles-2/

- Arabians' record-setting season ends in sectional championship game
http://www.pendletontimespost.com/2021/06/03/arabians_recordsetting_season_ends_in_sectional_championship_game-4/

The Herald:

- Semi-State tickets on sale <https://duboiscountyherald.com/b/semi-state-tickets-available>

IndyStar:

- IHSAA softball state tournament scores: Sectional roundup
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2021/05/24/indiana-high-school-softball-scores-2021-state-tournament-underway/7423308002/>
- IHSAA baseball: What we learned from conference champs; what to look for during sectionals
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2021/05/25/indiana-high-school-baseball-2021-ihsaa-state-tournament-preview/5134042001/>
- ECI softball sectional rundown: Cowan, Wes-Del sets up all-Delaware County final; Yorktown advances
<https://www.thestarpress.com/story/sports/high-school/2021/05/26/scores-stats-tuesdays-east-central-indiana-softball-sectionals/7445003002/>
- IHSAA boys track: After drama and dispute, Pike pulls out regional triumph
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2021/05/28/indiana-high-school-boys-track-and-field-pike-wins-regional-title/7484648002/>
- 'She was feeling it.' Madison Taylor leads Mt. Vernon softball to first regional title in 19 years
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2021/06/01/ihsaa-softball-tournament-mt-vernon-beats-lawrence-north-regional-indiana-madison-taylor/7465855002/>
- Indiana high school basketball: IBCA Top 100 Underclass Showcase dates, participants set
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2021/06/01/indiana-high-school-basketball-ibca-top-100-underclass-showcase-details/7489157002/>
- Mt. Vernon in IHSAA baseball regional behind new coach Brad King, red-hot Hunter Dobbins
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2021/06/04/ihsaa-baseball-hunter-dobbins-leads-mt-vernon-into-regionals/5290293001/>
- IHSAA baseball state tournament: What to know about Indianapolis-area regional matchups
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2021/06/04/indiana-high-school-baseball-state-tournament-2021-regionals-preview-ihsaa/5290312001/>
- Indiana baseball regionals What we learned: Brebeuf's bats on fire, Mt. Vernon overcomes
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2021/06/07/ihsaa-baseball-tournament-2021-what-we-learned-regionals-brebeuf-jesuit-mt-vernon-university/7575771002/>
- Local students earn higher education honors
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2021/06/08/local_students_earn_higher_education_honors-4/
- New Castle boys golfers Dillon Bergum, Derek Tabor advance to IHSAA state finals
<https://www.thestarpress.com/story/sports/high-school/2021/06/10/ihsaa-boys-golf-new-castle-advances-to-state/7644657002/>

MileSplit Indiana:

- Indiana State Middle School Championships 2021
https://in.milesplit.com/meets/423072-indiana-state-middle-school-championships-2021/results/750740/formatted#.YMERH_IKiUm

Daily Advent Opera News:

- Mt. Vernon High School named one of the nation's best
<https://www.dailyadvent.com/news/d6cc60bf033dcc48a42fbdc294b5b47b-Mt-Vernon-High-School-named-one-of-the-nations-best>
- Mt. Vernon in IHSAA baseball regionals behind new coach Brad King, red-hot Hunter Dobbins
<https://www.dailyadvent.com/news/cf771a9d549075886afe102f8a1dbe2d-Mt-Vernon-in-IHSAA-baseball-regionals-behind-new-coach-Brad-King-redhot-Hunter-Dobbins>

CBS:

- Best counties to raise a family in Indiana <https://cbs4indy.com/news/best-counties-to-raise-a-family-in-indiana/>

Fox 59:

- Best counties to raise a family in Indiana <https://fox59.com/news/best-counties-to-raise-a-family-in-indiana/>

WBIW:

- No.8 Stars riding 'wow' factor into 4A semistate clash with Marauders
<http://www.wbiw.com/2021/06/03/no-8-stars-riding-wow-factor-into-4a-semistate-clash-with-marauders/>

WTHR 13:

- Young Hoosier writes Under Armour asking the company to make girls' golf clothes
<https://www.wthr.com/article/news/local/young-hoosier-writes-under-armour-asking-the-company-to-make-girls-golf-clothes/531-d7f6bc55-e956-49a1-bfbe-c6f6fee722f2>

xitfilms.ru:

- New Castle High School Cheer Competition 10-29-16
<http://xitfilms.ru/kino/New+Castle+High+School+Cheer+Competition+10-29-16>